

## COL. BECKWITH SAYS:

"I Take Pleasure in Commending Pe-ru-na For Coughs and Colds."



COL. PAUL E. BECKWITH.

Colonel Paul E. Beckwith, Lt. Col., retired, 1st Reg. Minute Men, in a letter from 1503 Vermont avenue, N. W., Washington, D. C., writes:

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Paul E. Beckwith.

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## THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

INTERNATIONAL LESSON COMMENTS  
FOR FEBRUARY 5.

Subject: Jesus at Jacob's Well, John IV, 5-14—Golden Text, Rev. xxii, 17—Memory Verses, 13, 14—Commentary on the Day's Lesson.

1. Jesus at the well (vs. 5-8). 5. "Then cometh He." Our Lord, coming through historic ground, the ancient capital of the kingdom of Saul; through Bethel, where Jacob had his dream of the ladder and the angels; near Shiloh, the first dwelling place of the tabernacle; the ark in Canaan; and the scene of the downfall of the house of Eli. At the end of that journey three objects of special interest occur in succession: Jacob's well, Joseph's tomb, and the ancient city of Shechem, between the mountains of Gerizim and Ebal. "Sychar." Formerly Shechem, at the foot of Mount Gerizim, between Gerizim and Ebal. It is noted in the Scriptures as the place where Abraham first stopped on his coming from Haran to Canaan; where God appeared to him and promised to give the land to his seed, and where he first built an altar to the Lord. In the fourth century, about B. C. 332, Sanballat erected a temple on Gerizim in opposition to the Jewish temple. "Purposed of ground." Purchased of the children of Hamor (Gen. 33:19), and given to Joseph (Gen. 48:22).

6. "Jacob's well." The well Jacob dug. The word for well in the Greek means fountain. The well has been filled with rubbish until it is only about seventy feet deep. Formerly it was thirty feet deeper. It is about eight or nine feet in diameter and is walled with masonry. "Jesus—being weary." He was a man, as well as God, and became weary and hungry. He journeyed on foot, sharing with His disciples the fatigues and hardships of the way. "Sixth hour." There is a difference of opinion here. According to the Jewish reckoning this would be noon, but many learned men think John used a Roman method of reckoning and that it was 6 p. m.

7. "Of Samaria." She was not from the city of Samaria, seven miles away, but from the country of Samaria; one of Samaritan race and religion. To draw water." She probably brought her pail and bucket (leathern or crockery), for Orient wells are not provided with these. Note how our Lord's choice of a hearer breaks down rabbinic prejudice all around. "Give Me to drink." Jesus used His thirst as a means of approach to the woman's heart, and turned the conversation from the living waters of Jacob's well to the living waters of salvation. Let us follow our Saviour's example by doing good in our hours of relaxation. "Disciples—gone." The thought throughout reads so much like the words of an eyewitness that some have thought John remembered with the Saviour while the rest went to the village. "Meat." Food, not necessarily fish.

8. "The Samaritan woman (v. 9)." "How is it that thou, being a Jew, art here?" The Samaritans were there were many strict regulations against women conversing with men, especially strangers. But these restrictions were less regarded at the wells and fountains than at other public places (Gen. 24:13-24; Exod. 21:16). Jesus rejected all restraints of caste. His disciples were themselves surprised that He should converse with the woman, but they did not feel at liberty to object to it (v. 27). How did she know He was a Jew? By His dress and by His dialect. The word "Jew" is here used broadly to describe the race which filled both Judea and Galilee. She probably recognized Him as a Galilean also.

"No dealings." A remark thrown in by the writer to give the reason for her surprise. "We have no dealings of Jewish intercourse." This ill will, however, did not extend beyond familiar intercourse, for in such matters as buying and selling intercourse was allowed. They were excluded by the Jews from the temple at Jerusalem. "The Samaritans." The Samaritans were the descendants of the Ethiopian and Babylonian exiles upon whom the Assyrian conqueror of the ten tribes bestowed the lands of the captive Israelites (see 2 Kings 17:24-33). Although of purely Jewish origin, they united the worship of Jehovah with their own idolatries. They built a temple on Mount Gerizim.

9. "Divine truth imparted (vs. 10-14)." "The gift of God." See John 3:16. The Messiah, and the salvation He is bringing to man. "Thou wast asked." "Spiritually our positions are reversed. It is thou who art weary and footsore and parched, close to the well, yet unable to drink; it is I who can give thee the water from the well and quench thy thirst forever." "Living water." The gift of the Holy Spirit (John 7:37-39); also called "the water of life" (Rev. 21:6; 22:1, 17); "clean water" (Ezek. 36:26, 27). See also Isa. 55:1; 58:11. It is received by faith (John 6:35); abides eternally (v. 14), is offered freely (Rev. 22:1, 17). Note 1. Its source (John 7:37). 2. Its supply (Rev. 21:6). 3. Its freshness. 4. Its satisfaction (Isa. 12:3).

10. "Sir." This might be read "My Lord." It was a title of respect, and shows that the woman was reverent and serious. "Nothing to draw with." The well had, probably, no apparatus for drawing water. This woman no doubt carried her own line. "From whence," etc. The woman was quick in her comprehension, and saw there was some truth which she did not understand, to which Jesus was referring.

11. "Art Thou greater?" The question proceeds from a feeling that Jesus assumed some extraordinary character, that He claimed a spiritual power, perhaps claimed to be prophet like Moses, who could make a fountain of water by miracle. "Our father Jacob." The Samaritans were living in the territory of Ephraim and Manasseh, sons of Joseph, and grandsons of Jacob, and although they were not the descendants of Jacob, yet no doubt some of the ancient blood ran in their veins.

12. "Shall I thirst again?" Jesus does not discuss the question of greatness, but turns her thought toward spiritual truth, as He did Nicodemus. "Shall I never thirst?" He does not mean that one draught shall satisfy us, but that we shall have in the soul a well of living water. "Shall be in Him." The religion of Jesus has to do with the inner life. Christ new principles and affections within us. "A well of water." A fountain of water. The supply is inexhaustible. Here is an un-failingfulness of love, joy, peace and spiritual strength—a full salvation. "Springing up." However has this living water in the soul already has eternal life. The water of life. 1. Is given by Jesus. 2. It is pure. 3. It satisfies the soul. 4. There is a never failing supply. 5. It is free. 6. It is for all who thirst. "Into everlasting life." He that receives the living water has a fountain opened in his soul of spiritual satisfaction, which shall neither be dried up in this life nor the life to come, but shall flow on to all eternity.

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Northwards, near Lado, the same party came across the Dinkas, a race of giants, standing six feet six inches to seven feet in height, and magnificently developed; and in the adjoining Toroland which swarmed with elephants of gigantic size, the natives were simply stark-naked savages of inexpressible degradation of character.

## Births and Deaths Decrease.

Fewer persons died and a smaller number were born throughout England and Wales last year than in 1902, while in London itself both birth and deaths were the fewest recorded for many years.

## A FELLOW FEELING.

Why She Felt Lament Towards the Drunkard.

A great deal depends on the point of view. A good temperance woman was led, in a very peculiar way, to revise her somewhat harsh judgment of the poor devil who cannot resist his cups, and she is now the more charitable. She writes:

"For many years I was a great sufferer from asthma. Finally my health got so poor that I found I could not lie down, but walked the floor whilst others slept. I got so nervous I could not rest anywhere.

"Specialists told me I must give up the use of coffee—the main thing that I always thought gave me some relief. I consulted our family physician, and he, being a coffee fiend himself, told me to pay no attention to their advice. Coffee had such a charm for me that in passing a restaurant and getting a whiff of the fragrance I could not resist a cup. I felt very lenient toward the drunkard who could not pass the saloon. Friends often urged me to try Postum. But I turned a deaf ear, saying 'That may do for people to whom coffee is harmful, but not for me—coffee and I will never part.'

"At last, however, I bought a package of Postum, although I was sure I could not drink it. I prepared it as directed, and served it for breakfast. Well, bitter as I was against it, I must say that never before had I tasted a more delicious cup of coffee! From that day to this (more than 2 years) I have never had a desire for the old coffee. My health soon returned; the asthma disappeared, I began to sleep well, and in a short time I gained 20 pounds in weight.

"One day I handed my physician the tablets he had prescribed for me, telling him I had no use for them. He stayed for dinner. When I passed him his coffee cup he remarked, 'I am glad to see you were sensible enough not to let yourself be persuaded that coffee was harmful. This is the best cup of coffee I ever drank,' he continued; 'the trouble is so few people know how to make good coffee.' When he got his second cup I told him he was drinking Postum. He was incredulous, but I convinced him, and now he uses nothing but Postum in his home, and has greatly improved in health." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

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## BROUGHT BACK OLD DAYS.

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"How was that?" asked the newspaper man, expecting a story.

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